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SUBJECT: UNCTAD: CONSULTATIONS OF COFFEE

REF: GENEVA 118

1. DURING COURTESY CALL, UNCTAD SECRETARY GENERAL PEREZ-GUERRERO (PG) TOLD AMBASSADOR OF PLANS TO CONVENE INFORMAL CONSULTATION ON COFFEE ON MARCH 5. PG SAID HE HAS RECEIVED VIEWS OF SEVERAL COUNTRIES AND AWAITING NUMBERS OF OTHERS. BASED ON REPLIES RECEIVED, PG SAID HIS CONCLUSION LIKELY BE THAT IT NOT POSSIBLE HOLD CONSULTATIONS BEFORE MARCH 31 DATE SPECIFIED IN BOARD RESOLUTION 97 (XIII). HE PLANS HAVE FURTHER DISCUSSIONS BEFORE MEETING WITH INTERESTED DELS. PG IS ANXIOUS TO RESOLVE COFFEE PROBLEM BEFORE LEAVING OFFICE.

2. COMMENT: PG STATED THAT BRAZIL, COLOMBIA AND IVORY COAST DID NOT WANT CONSULTATIONS BUT HE DID NOT MAKE CLEAR WHETHER IVORY COAST PREPARED JOIN COLOMBIA AND BRAZIL IN BOYCOTTING CONSULTATIONS IF HELD. HE IMPLIED THAT US AS MAJOR CONSUMER SHOULD GO

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BEYOND BENEVOLENT NEUTRALITY. MISSION CONTINUES TO

BELIEVE THAT OUR INTERESTS ARE BEST SERVED BY NOT
BEING DRAWN INTO AFRICAN-LATIN ARGUMENT AND THAT WE
HAVE SUFFICIENT INSTRUCTIONS FOR MARCH 5 MEETINGS.
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